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For: ANTI-VIRAL USES OF LEFLUNOMIDE
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**APPLICANTS' RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL
OFFICE ACTION OF SEPTEMBER 23, 2003**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 23, 2003, please consider the following with reference to the above-identified application:

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